

FISCAL NOTE

HB 3022 - SB 3094

February 24, 2000

SUMMARY OF BILL: Defines *suspension*, *expulsion* and *remand* for purposes of coding a student's absence due to disciplinary actions as follows:

Suspension shall be defined as dismissed from attendance at school for any reason not more than 10 consecutive days. The school district shall remain eligible to receive funding for a suspended student.

Expulsion shall be defined as removal from attendance for more than 10 consecutive days or more than 15 days in a month of school attendance. Multiple suspensions that occur consecutively shall constitute expulsion. The school district shall not be eligible to receive funding for an expelled student.

Remand shall be defined as assignment to an alternative school. Such student shall be included in ADA/ADM and will continue to be counted as present for funding purposes

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Decrease Local Govt. Revenues - Not Significant

Assumes that if a student receives multiple *suspensions* which occur consecutively and is considered to be *expelled* regardless of the number of days of each *suspension*, local government revenues are estimated to decrease. Once the student is considered to be *expelled*, the school district can no longer receive funding for that student. The decrease in revenues would be dependent upon the number of students who would now be *expelled* under this bill and the number of days such students would be *expelled* and not counted for funding purposes. However, the decrease in revenue is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



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